

Amendments to the Claims: This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A computer system comprising:

an electronic assembly having an enclosure, a first access opening defined by said enclosure, and a second access opening defined by said enclosure;

a device coupled to said electronic assembly via said first access opening; and

a shield coupled to said electronic assembly and positioned to cover said second access opening defined by said enclosure, wherein said shield includes a cover portion and a plurality of extensions adjacent said cover portion, said extensions together at least partially defining a channel extending along at least a portion of said cover portion, said channel having substantially parallel boundaries, said channel being configured to received a portion of the enclosure and to slidably engage the enclosure such that, when engaged, said cover portion, said shield being configured inhibits electromagnetic interference emissions from the enclosure associated with said electronic assembly through said second access opening.

2. (Original) The computer system of claim 1, wherein said first and second access openings are defined along a common surface of the enclosure.

3. (Original) The computer system of claim 1, wherein said first and second access openings are defined along different surfaces of the enclosure.

4. (Original) The computer system of claim 1, wherein said electronic assembly is an interconnect configured to receive said device, said interconnect having a connector assembly routed between said first and second access openings.

5. (Canceled)

6. (Currently Amended) The computer system of claim 5~~1~~, wherein said plurality of extensions comprises:

a first slide rail; and

a second slide rail spaced from said first slide rail and substantially parallel to said first slide rail to define said channel therebetween.

7. (Currently Amended) The computer system of claim 51, wherein said plurality of extensions comprises:

a first plurality of substantially aligned detents positioned along a first axis; and

a second plurality of substantially aligned detents spaced from the first plurality of substantially aligned detents and positioned along a second axis substantially parallel to the first axis to define said channel there between.

8. (Currently Amended) The computer system of claim 51, wherein said plurality of extensions are coupled to said cover portion.

9. (Currently Amended) The computer system of claim 51, wherein said plurality of extensions extend from said cover portion.

10. (Currently Amended) The computer system of claim 51, further comprising:

a fastener coupled to the cover portion to secure the cover portion to the enclosure.

11. (Currently Amended) The computer system of claim 51, further comprising:

an outer cover portion spaced from and substantially parallel to said cover portion, said outer cover portion and said cover portion together defining a space there between.

12. (Original) A shield for use with an enclosure to inhibit electromagnetic interference emissions from the enclosure, the shield comprising:

a cover portion; and

a plurality of extensions adjacent said cover portion, said extensions together at least partially defining a channel extending along at least a portion of said cover portion, said channel having substantially parallel boundaries, said channel being configured to received a portion of the enclosure and to slidably engage the enclosure such that, when engaged, said cover portion inhibits electromagnetic interference emissions from the enclosure.

13. (Original) The shield of claim 12, wherein said plurality of extensions comprises:

a first slide rail; and

a second slide rail spaced from said first slide rail and substantially parallel to said first slide rail to define said channel there between.

14. (Original) The shield of claim 12, wherein said plurality of extensions comprises:

a first plurality of substantially aligned detents positioned along a first axis; and

a second plurality of substantially aligned detents spaced from the first plurality of substantially aligned detents and positioned along a second axis substantially parallel to the first axis to define said channel there between.

15. (Original) The shield of claim 12, wherein said plurality of extensions are coupled to said cover portion.

16. (Original) The shield of claim 12, wherein said plurality of extensions extend from said cover portion.

17. (Original) The shield of claim 12, further comprising:

a fastener coupled to said cover portion to secure the cover portion to the enclosure.

18. (Original) The shield of claim 12, further comprising:

an outer cover portion spaced from and substantially parallel to said cover portion, said outer cover portion and said cover portion together defining a space there between.

19. (Original) A method for inhibiting electromagnetic interference emissions from an enclosure comprising the steps of:

aligning a plurality of extensions of a shield with a portion of the enclosure; and

sliding the extensions into engagement with the portion of the enclosure until the shield covers an opening in the enclosure, thereby inhibiting electromagnetic interference emissions from the enclosure through the opening.

20. (Original) The method of claim 19, wherein the method further comprises the step of:

fastening the shield to the enclosure by mating a fastener of the shield with a mating fastener of the enclosure.

21. (New) The computer system of claim 1, wherein the shield is rigid.

22. (New) The shield of claim 12, wherein the cover portion is rigid.

23. (New) The method of claim 19, wherein the shield is rigid.